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RECORD OF TELEPHONE INTERVIEW AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on August 19, 2005 ("the Office Action"), please refer to the recorded interview of the above identified application as follows:

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INTERVIEW RECORD

An interview with the Examiner was conducted at 12:00 pm (Eastern Time) on September 2, 2005 to discuss reasons presented warranting favorable action for the above identified application. As discussed, Applicant will amend claim 1 to further define a "magazine support" to recite, "a magazine support generally comprising a base plate on which said magazine can substantially rest under the influence of gravity". The term "rest" is used in paragraph [0013] which recites "the magazine picker is comprised of a support surface on which all or a portion of a magazine can rest and a device that is capable of moving a magazine between a shelf and the support".

Applicant further clarifies the definition of "rest" as discussed with Examiner in amended paragraph [0198] to recite "(a) a base plate 886 on which a magazine, such as the LTO/SAIT magazine 270 from FIG. 12A, can substantially rest under the influence of gravity".

These suggested amendments clarify distinguishing features of Applicant's invention over the rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 102 to U.S. Patent No. 5,818,723 to Dimitri which are reflected in the response to the Office Action.

Examiner also requested a "cursory search" for art related to a magazine transport support surface similar to Applicant's invention. Nothing was found.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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In response to the Final Office Action mailed on August 19, 2005 ("the Office Action"), please amend the above identified application as follows:

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION are reflected in amended paragraph, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

REMARKS begin on Page 8 of this paper.